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### Additional 2012 Meat and Poultry TRQ Volumes for Russia

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**Report Highlights:**

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## **Executive Summary**

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For the official release of the Decree in Russian, please see:

[http://www.tsouz.ru/eeek/RSEEEK/RKEEEK/31z/Pages/R\\_217.aspx](http://www.tsouz.ru/eeek/RSEEEK/RKEEEK/31z/Pages/R_217.aspx)

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### **Decision**

November 13, 2012

**No. 217**

Moscow

### **On the Lists of Goods, which are Subject to Tariff Rate Quotas, and the Volume of Tariff Rate Quotas for Imports of these Goods into the Member States of the Customs Union**

In accordance with the Treaty on the functioning of the Customs Union within the framework of the multilateral trading system of May 19, 2011, the Collegium of the Eurasian Economic Commission decided:

1. To amend the List of Goods, which are Subject to Tariff Rate Quotas from 1 January 2012, and the Volumes of Tariff Rate Quotas for Imports of these Goods into the Member States of the Customs Union, approved by Decision of the Customs Union Commission of November 18, 2011, No. 865 "On the List Goods which are Subject to Tariff Rate Quotas from January 1, 2012, and the Volumes of Tariff Rate Quotas for Imports of these Goods into the Member States of the Customs Union," according to the annex.
2. To approve the List of Goods, which are Subject to Additional Tariff Rate Quotas through December 31, 2012, and the Volume of Additional Tariff Rate Quota for the Import of these Goods into the Member States of the Customs Union (attached).
3. To establish that the additional tariff rate quotas specified in the List approved by this Decision (hereinafter - the additional tariff rate quotas), shall apply to goods imported into the single customs territory of the Customs Union for release into the Customs Union for domestic consumption, with the exception of products originating in and imported from the CIS.
4. Request the Russian Federation:

To distribute the volume of additional tariff rate quotas among participants of foreign trade activities in accordance with the legislation of the Russian Federation;

To instruct the authorized executive bodies to issue import licenses for the goods, which are subject to the additional tariff rate quotas.

5. This Decision shall enter into force 30 days from the date of its official publication.

Chairman

V.B. Khristenko

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For the official Amendments release in Russian, please see:

[http://www.tsouz.ru/eeek/RSEEK/RKEEK/31z/Documents/P\\_217\\_1.pdf](http://www.tsouz.ru/eeek/RSEEK/RKEEK/31z/Documents/P_217_1.pdf)

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Annex  
To Decision of the Collegium  
of the Eurasian Economic Commission  
No. 217 of November 13, 2012

Amendments

to the List of Goods, which are Subject to Tariff Rate Quotas from 1 January 2012, and the Volumes of  
Tariff Rate Quotas for Imports of these Goods into the Member States of the Customs Union

1. The item “Poultry meat and byproducts under position 0105, fresh, chilled, or frozen (CU HS code 0207)” and the related items shall read as follows:

[Belarus]   [Kazakhstan]   [Russia]

Meat and edible byproducts of poultry under heading 0105, fresh, chilled, or frozen (CU HS code 0207) - total including:	15.0	110.0	330.0**
Frozen deboned chicken meat (CU HS Code 0207 14 100 1)			70.0
Frozen bone-in chicken halves or quarters and frozen bone-in chicken legs and cuts thereof (CU HS Codes 0207 14 200 1 and 0207 14 600 1)			250.0
frozen deboned turkey meat (CU HS Code 0207 27 100 1)			10.0
Meat and edible byproducts of poultry under heading 0105, fresh, chilled, or frozen, not specified above (CU HS Code 0207 except codes 0207 14 100 1, 0207 14 200 1, 0207 14 600 1, 0207 27 100 1)			0.0

2. It shall be supplemented with the following footnote:

“\*\* This volume is allocated to the import of certain types of meat and edible byproducts of poultry to the Russian Federation in accordance with the commodity structure and within the scope specified in this List.”

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For the official TRQ release in Russian, please see:

[http://www.tsouz.ru/eeek/RSEEK/RKEEK/31z/Documents/P\\_217\\_2.pdf](http://www.tsouz.ru/eeek/RSEEK/RKEEK/31z/Documents/P_217_2.pdf)

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APPROVED  
By Decision of the Collegium  
of the Eurasian Economic Commission  
No. 217 of November 13, 2012

### LIST

of Goods, which are Subject to Additional Tariff Rate Quotas through December 31, 2012, and the Volume of the Additional Tariff Rate Quota for the Import of these Goods into the Member States of the Customs Union \*

Product Name	Volumes of tariff rate quotas, in thousand tons		
	Belarus	Kazakhstan	Russian Federation
Meat of bovine animals, fresh or chilled (CU HS Code 0201)	0.0	0.0	3.33
Meat and edible byproducts of poultry under heading 0105, fresh, chilled or frozen (CU HS Code 0207) - total including:	0.0	0.0	11.33**
Frozen deboned chicken meat (CU HS Code 0207 14 100 1)	0.0	0.0	10.0
Frozen bone-in chicken halves or quarters and frozen bone-in chicken legs and cuts thereof (CU HS Codes 0207 14 200 1 and 0207 14 600 1)	0.0	0.0	0.0
frozen deboned turkey meat, frozen cuts of bone-in turkey (CU HS codes 0207 27 100 1, 0207 27 300 1, 0207 27 400 1, 0207 27 600 1, 0207 27 700 1)	0.0	0.0	1.33
Meat and edible byproducts of poultry under heading 0105, fresh, chilled, or frozen, not specified above (CU HS Code 0207 except codes 0207 14 100 1, 0207 14 200 1, 0207 14 600 1, 0207 27 100 1, 0207 27 300 1, 0207 27 400 1, 0207 27 600 1, 0207 27 700 1)	0.0	0.0	0.0

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\* Volumes of tariff rate quotas specified in this List shall be established in addition to the volumes of tariff rate quotas specified in the List of goods, which are subject to tariff rate quotas from January 1, 2012, and the volumes of tariff rate quotas for imports of these goods into the Member States of the Customs Union, approved by Decision of the Customs Union Commission No. 865 of November 18, 2011, "On the List of Goods, which are Subject to Tariff Rate Quotas from 1 January 2012, and the Volumes of Tariff Rate Quotas for Imports of these Goods in the Member States of the Customs Union."

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